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Note by the Secretariat

Section I of the present document provides a reference list of the resolutions (E/RES/2013/__) and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its organizational and resumed organizational sessions for 2013 and at its substantive session of 2013. Section II contains the decisions adopted by the Council. The final text of the resolutions and the decisions will be issued in the *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 1* (E/2013/99).



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I. Reference list: resolutions and decisions adopted by the Council

A. Resolutions

<i>Number</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Meeting date of adoption</i>
2013/1	Outcome of the review of the 2005 Reform of the Economic Commission for Europe (E/2013/15/Add.1 and E/2013/SR.22)	10	22nd plenary meeting 5 July 2013
2013/2	Refocusing and recalibrating the Economic Commission for Africa to support Africa's structural transformation (E/2013/15/Add.2, chap. I, sect. A, and E/2013/SR.22)	10	22nd plenary meeting 5 July 2013
2013/3	A conference structure of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific for the inclusive and sustainable development of Asia and the Pacific (E/2013/15/Add.2, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution I, and E/2013/SR.22)	10	22nd plenary meeting 5 July 2013
2013/4	Statute of the Centre for Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization (E/2013/15/Add.2, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution II, and E/2013/SR.22)	10	22nd plenary meeting 5 July 2013
2013/5	Progress in the implementation of General Assembly resolution 67/226 on the quadrennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system (E/2013/L.17, as orally revised, and E/2013/SR.32)	3	32nd plenary meeting 12 July 2013
2013/6	Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations (E/2013/L.20 and E/2013/SR.36)	5	36th plenary meeting 17 July 2013
2013/7	Europe-Africa fixed link through the Strait of Gibraltar (E/2013/L.28 and E/2013/SR.40)	10	40th plenary meeting 19 July 2013
2013/8	Economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan (E/2013/L.16 and E/2013/SR.40)	11	40th plenary meeting 19 July 2013
2013/9	Assessment of the progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society (E/2013/31, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution I, and E/2013/SR.41)	13 (b)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013

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2013/10	Science, technology and innovation for development (E/2013/31, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution II, and E/2013/SR.41)	13 (b)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/11	Joint United Nations Programme on Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (E/2013/L.32 and E/2013/SR.41)	7 (e)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/12	United Nations Interagency Task Force on the Prevention and Control of Non-communicable Diseases (E/2013/L.23 and E/2013/SR.41)	7 (g)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/13	Calendar of conferences and meetings in the economic, social and related fields (E/2013/L.13 and E/2012/SR.41)	7 (h)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/14	United Nations System Staff College in Turin, Italy (E/2013/L.26 and E/2013/SR.43)	15	43rd plenary meeting 23 July 2013
2013/15	Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti (E/2013/L.31 and E/2013/SR.44)	7 (d)	44th plenary meeting 23 July 2013
2013/16	Mainstreaming a gender perspective into all policies and programmes in the United Nations system (E/2013/L.14 and E/2013/SR.45)	7 (c)	45th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/17	Situation of and assistance to Palestinian women (E/2013/27, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution II, and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (l)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/18	Future organization and methods of work of the Commission on the Status of Women (E/2013/27, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution I, and E/2012/SR.46)	14 (a)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/19	Conclusion of the work of the Commission on Sustainable Development (E/2013/L.38 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (a)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/20	Report of the Committee for Development Policy (E/2013/L.19 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (a)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/21	Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics (E/2013/24, chap. I, sect. A, and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (c)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/22	Human settlements (E/2013/L.36, as orally corrected, and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (d)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/23	Report of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration on its twelfth session (E/2013/L.27 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (g)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013

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2013/24	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters (E/2013/L.22 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (h)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/25	Work of the Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (E/2013/51, chap. I, and E/2013/SR.47)	13 (m)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/26	Social dimensions of the New Partnership for Africa's Development (E/2013/26, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution I, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (b)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/27	Preparations for and observance of the twentieth anniversary of the International Year of the Family (E/2013/26, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution II, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (b)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/28	Mainstreaming disability in the development agenda: towards 2015 and beyond (E/2013/26, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution III, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (b)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/29	Second review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002 (E/2013/26, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution IV, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (b)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/30	Follow-up to the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and preparations for the Thirteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution I, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/31	Strengthening crime prevention and criminal justice responses to protect cultural property, especially with regard to its trafficking (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution II, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/32	Technical assistance for implementing the international conventions and protocols related to counter-terrorism (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution III, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/33	The rule of law, crime prevention and criminal justice in the United Nations development agenda beyond 2015 (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution IV, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013

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2013/34	Model strategies and practical measures on the elimination of violence against children in the field of crime prevention and criminal justice (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution V, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/35	Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution VI, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/36	Taking action against gender-related killing of women and girls (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution VII, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/37	Improving the quality and availability of statistics on crime and criminal justice for policy development (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution I, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/38	Combating transnational organized crime and its possible links to illicit trafficking in precious metals (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution II, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/39	International cooperation in the prevention, investigation, prosecution and punishment of economic fraud and identity-related crime E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution III, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/40	Crime prevention and criminal justice responses to illicit trafficking in protected species of wild fauna and flora (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution IV, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/41	Implementation of the United Nations Global Plan of Action to Combat Trafficking in Persons (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. B, draft resolution V, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/42	United Nations Guiding Principles on Alternative Development (E/2013/28, chap. I, sect. A, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (d)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/43	Support to Non-Self-Governing Territories by the specialized agencies and international institutions associated with the United Nations (E/2013/L.24 and E/2013/SR.47)	9	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/44	Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development (E/2013/L.33 and E/2013/SR.48)	6 (a)	48th plenary meeting 26 July 2013

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2013/45	United Nations Institute for Training and Research (E/2013/L.30/Rev.1 and E/2013/SR.48)	15	48th plenary meeting 26 July 2013
2013/46	Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2011-2020 (E/2013/L.21, as orally revised, and E/2013/SR.48)	6 (b)	48th plenary meeting 26 July 2013

B. Decisions

<i>Number</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Meeting date of adoption</i>
2013/201 A	Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council	4	2nd plenary meeting 12 February 2013
2013/201 B	Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council	4	10th plenary meeting 25 April 2013
2013/201 C	Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council	4	11th plenary meeting 6 May 2013
2013/201 D	Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council	1	48th plenary meeting 26 July 2013
2013/202	Proposed date of the special high-level meeting of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (E/2013/L.1, draft decision I, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/203	Proposed date of the meeting of the Economic and Social Council on external debt sustainability and development (E/2013/L.1, draft decision II, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/204	Proposed date of the meeting of the Economic and Social Council on international cooperation in tax matters (E/2013/L.1, draft decision III, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/205	Provisional agenda for the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/L.1, draft decision IV, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/206	Basic programme of work of the Economic and Social Council for 2014 (E/2013/L.1, draft decision V, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013

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2013/207	Working arrangements for the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/L.1, draft decision VI, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/208	Operational activities segment of the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/L.1, draft decision VII, and E/2013/SR.4)	2 and 3	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/209	Appointment of an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti (E/2013/L.2 and E/2013/SR.4)	2	4th plenary meeting 15 February 2013
2013/210	Special responsibilities of the Bureau of the Economic and Social Council for the substantive session of 2013 (E/2013/SR.5)	3	5th plenary meeting 28 February 2013
2013/211	Theme for the item on regional cooperation of the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/L.3 and E/2013/SR.10)	2 and 3	10th plenary meeting 25 April 2013
2013/212	Theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/L.4 and E/2013/SR.10)	2 and 3	10th plenary meeting 25 April 2013
2013/213	Economic and Social Council event to discuss the transition from relief to development (E/2013/L.5 and E/2013/SR.11)	2 and 3	11th plenary meeting 6 May 2013
2013/214	Agenda and organization of work for the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/100, E/2013/L.7, E/2013/L.8, E/2013/CRP.1, E/2013/84 and E/2013/SR.14)	1	14th plenary meeting 1 July 2013
2013/215	Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the follow-up to policy recommendations of the General Assembly and the Council and the reports of the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services, the United Nations Children's Fund, the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women and the World Food Programme (A/68/97-E/2013/87, E/2013/94, informal paper on the policy for independent system-wide evaluation of operational activities for development of the United Nations system, E/2012/35, E/2013/5, E/2013/6, E/2013/14, E/2013/34 (Part I) and Add.1, E/2013/36, E/2013/48, E/2013/L.12 and E/2013/SR.32)	3 (a) and 3 (b)	32nd plenary meeting 12 July 2013

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2013/216	Report of the eighteenth session of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation (E/2013/SR.32)	3 (c)	32nd plenary meeting 12 July 2013
2013/217	Applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification received from non-governmental organizations (E/2013/32 (Part I), chap. I, draft decision I, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/218	Request for withdrawal of consultative status (E/2013/32 (Part I), chap. I, draft decision II, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/219	Report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its 2013 regular session (E/2013/32 (Part I), chap. I, draft decision III, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/220	Applications for consultative status, requests for reclassification and quadrennial reports received from non-governmental organizations (E/2013/32 (Part II), chap. I, draft decision I, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/221	Suspension of consultative status of non-governmental organizations with outstanding quadrennial reports, pursuant to Council resolution 2008/4 (E/2013/32 (Part II), chap. I, draft decision II, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/222	Reinstatement of consultative status of non-governmental organizations that submitted outstanding quadrennial reports, pursuant to Council resolution 2008/4 (E/2013/32 (Part II), chap. I, draft decision III, and Corr.I, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/223	Withdrawal of consultative status of non-governmental organizations in accordance with Council resolution 2008/4 (E/2013/32 (Part II), chap. I, draft decision IV, and Corr.I, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/224	Dates of and provisional agenda for the 2014 session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations (E/2013/32 (Part II), chap. I, draft decision V, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/225	Report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its 2013 resumed session (E/2013/32 (Part II), chap. I, draft decision VI, and E/2013/SR.37)	12	37th plenary meeting 18 July 2013

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2013/226	Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the implementation of and follow-up to major United Nations conferences and summits and the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227, 52/12 B, 57/270 B and 60/265 (A/67/736-E/2013/7, A/68/79-E/2013/69, A/68/73-E/2013/59 and E/2013/SR.37)	6 and 8	38th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/227	Implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227, 52/12 B, 57/270 B, 60/265 and 61/16 (E/2013/SR.38)	8	38th plenary meeting 18 July 2013
2013/228	Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the item on regional cooperation (E/2013/15 and Add.1 and 2, E/2013/21, E/2013/16, E/2013/17, E/2013/18, E/2013/19, E/2013/20 and E/2013/SR.40)	10	40th plenary meeting 19 July 2013
2013/229	Report of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development on its sixteenth session and provisional agenda and documentation for the seventeenth session of the Commission (E/2013/31, chap. I, sect. B, and E/2013/SR.41)	13 (b)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/230	Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the reports of coordination bodies and the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015 (A/68/16, E/2013/60, the relevant fascicles of A/68/6 and E/2013/SR.41)	7 (a) and 7 (b)	41st plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/231	African countries emerging from conflict (E/2013/L.34 and E/2013/SR.42)	7 (f)	42nd plenary meeting 22 July 2013
2013/232	Financing for humanitarian operations in the United Nations system (A/67/867, A/67/867/Add.1 and E/2013/SR.44)	7	44th plenary meeting 23 July 2013
2013/233	Report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its fifty-seventh session and provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-eighth session of the Commission (E/2013/27, chap. I, sect. C, and E/2013/SR.46)	14 (a)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/234	Revised provisional agenda for the twentieth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development (E/2013/L.37 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (a)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013

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2013/235	Report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-fourth session and the provisional agenda and dates for the forty-fifth session of the Commission (E/2013/24, chap. I, sect. B, and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (c)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/236	Report of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum of the United Nations Environment Programme on its first universal session (A/68/25 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (e)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/237	Report of the Commission on Population and Development on its forty-sixth session and provisional agenda for its forty-seventh session (E/2013/25, chap. I, sect. A, and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (f)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/238	Venue, dates and provisional agenda for the thirteenth session of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration (E/2013/L.29 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (g)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/239	Dates and provisional agenda for the ninth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters (E/2013/L.39 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (h)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/240	Report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on its tenth session and provisional agenda for its eleventh session (E/2013/42, chap. I, sect. A, and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (i)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/241	Dates and venue for the eleventh session of the United Nations Forum on Forests (E/2013/L.35 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (i)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/242	Report of the Nineteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific (E/CONF.102/8 and E/2013/SR.46)	13 (k)	46th plenary meeting 24 July 2013
2013/243	Report of the Commission for Social Development on its fifty-first session and provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-second session (E/2013/26, chap. I, sect. B, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (b)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/244	Nomination of members of the Board of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development (E/2013/26, chap. I, sect. C, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (b)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/245	Report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its reconvened twenty-first session (E/2012/30/Add.1, chap. I, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013

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2013/246	Improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime: extension of the mandate of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. C, draft decision I, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/247	Report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its twenty-second session and provisional agenda for its twenty-third session (E/2013/30, chap. I, sect. C, draft decision II, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (c)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/248	Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its reconvened fifty-fifth session (E/2012/28/Add.1, chap. I, sect. A, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (d)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/249	Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its fifty-sixth session and provisional agenda for its fifty-seventh session (E/2013/28, chap. I, sect. B, draft decision I, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (d)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/250	Report of the International Narcotics Control Board (E/2013/28, chap. I, sect. B, draft decision III, and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (d)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/251	Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (E/2013/L.25 and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (e)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/252	Report of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues on its twelfth session (E/2013/SR.47)	14 (h)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/253	Documentation considered by the Council in connection with the advancement of women, crime prevention and criminal justice, and human rights (E/2013/75, E/2013/80, A/68/55, E/2013/22, E/2013/82 and E/2013/SR.47)	14 (a), 14 (c) and 14 (g)	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/254	Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the Palestinian people (A/68/76-E/2013/65 and E/2013/SR.47)	9	47th plenary meeting 25 July 2013
2013/255	Report of the Council of the United Nations University (E/2013/88 and E/2013/SR.48)	15	48th plenary meeting 26 July 2013
2013/256	Temporary adjournment of the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/SR.48)	1	48th plenary meeting 26 July 2013

II. Decisions adopted by the Council

2013/201 A

Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council

At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 12 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary and related bodies:

Elections postponed from previous sessions

Committee for the United Nations Population Award

The Council elected **Qatar** and the **United Republic of Tanzania** to fill outstanding vacancies on the Committee for terms beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2015.

The Council further postponed the election of one member from African States and one member from Asia-Pacific States for terms beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2015.

Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission

The Council elected the **Dominican Republic** and **Ethiopia** in accordance with Council resolutions 2012/37 of 20 December 2012 and 2008/38 of 19 December 2008, for terms beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2014, or until the expiration of their membership in the Council (whichever is earlier).

2013/201 B

Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council

At its 10th plenary meeting, on 25 April 2013, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary and related bodies:

Elections

Statistical Commission

The Council elected the following eight Member States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Angola, Brazil, Cameroon, Italy, Libya, New Zealand, Russian Federation** and **Sweden**.

The Council also elected the **Netherlands** to fill an outstanding vacancy on the Commission for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2016.

Commission on Population and Development

The Council elected the following seven Member States for a four-year term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-eighth session (to be held in 2014) and expiring at the close of the Commission's fifty-first session, in 2018: **Benin, Liberia, Pakistan, South Africa, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Zambia.**

The Council postponed the election of three members from Asia-Pacific States, two members from Eastern European States, three members from Latin American and Caribbean States and one member from Western European and other States for a four-year term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-eighth session (to be held in 2014) and expiring at the close of the Commission's fifty-first session, in 2018.

The Council also elected **Bangladesh** to fill an outstanding vacancy on the Commission for a term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-seventh session (held in 2013) and expiring at the close of the Commission's fiftieth session, in 2017.

The Council further postponed the election of one member from Asia-Pacific States and one member from Latin American and Caribbean States, both for terms beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the Commission's forty-ninth session, in 2016; and one member from African States, one member from Asia-Pacific States and one member from Eastern European States, all for terms beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-seventh session (held in 2013) and expiring at the close of the Commission's fiftieth session, in 2017.

Commission on the Status of Women

The Council elected the following 12 Member States for a four-year term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's fifty-ninth session (to be held in 2014) and expiring at the close of the Commission's sixty-second session, in 2018: **Bangladesh, Congo, El Salvador, Ghana, Guyana, India, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Republic of Korea, Tajikistan, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.**

The Council postponed the election of one member from African States for a term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's fifty-ninth session (to be held in 2014) and expiring at the close of the Commission's sixty-second session, in 2018.

Commission on Narcotic Drugs

The Council elected the following 20 Member States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Angola, Australia, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, France, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Nigeria, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Togo and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.**

Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting

The Council elected **Côte d'Ivoire** and **Sri Lanka** to fill outstanding vacancies on the Intergovernmental Working Group for terms beginning on the date of election

and expiring on 31 December 2014 and **Ghana** to fill an outstanding vacancy for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2015.

The Council further postponed the election of one member from Asia-Pacific States and eight members from Western European and other States, all for terms beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2014; four members from Asia-Pacific States, two members from Eastern European States and two members from Latin American and Caribbean States, all for terms beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2015.

Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

The Council elected the following seven members for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Megan Davis** (Australia), **Oliver Loode** (Estonia), **Aisa Mukabenova** (Russian Federation), **Joseph Goko Mutangah** (Kenya), **Gervais Nzoa** (Cameroon), **Mohammad Hassani Nejad Pirkouhi** (Islamic Republic of Iran) and **Alvaro Esteban Pop Ac** (Guatemala).

The Council postponed the election of one member from Asia-Pacific States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014.

Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund

The Council elected the following 11 Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Antigua and Barbuda, China, Estonia, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Russian Federation, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Zambia.**

The Council also elected the following Member States to replace members of the Executive Board who were resigning from their seats effective 1 January 2014: **Japan**, to complete the term of office of Greece (expiring 31 December 2014), and **New Zealand**, to complete the term of office of Canada (expiring 31 December 2015).

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services

The Council elected the following 11 Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Armenia, China, Cuba, Ecuador, Ireland, Montenegro, Nepal, Netherlands, Norway, United Republic of Tanzania and United States of America.**

The Council elected the following Member States to replace members of the Executive Board who were resigning from their seats effective 1 January 2014: **Canada**, to complete the term of office of New Zealand (expiring 31 December 2014); **Belgium**, to complete the term of office of Portugal (expiring 31 December 2014); **Switzerland**, to complete the term of office of Japan (expiring 31 December 2015); and **Finland**, to complete the term of office of Spain (expiring 31 December 2015).

Executive Board of the World Food Programme

The Council elected the following five Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Burundi, Cuba, Ethiopia, Norway and Pakistan.**

The Council postponed the election of one member from List D for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014.

International Narcotics Control Board

The Council elected Sri **Suryawati** (Indonesia) for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 1 March 2017 to fill a vacancy arising from the death of **Hamid Ghodse** (Islamic Republic of Iran).

Committee for the United Nations Population Award

The Council elected **Nigeria** and **Pakistan** to fill outstanding vacancies on the Committee for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2015.

Programme Coordinating Board of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS

The Council elected the following seven Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **El Salvador, France, United States of America, India, Kazakhstan, Ukraine** and **United Republic of Tanzania**.

The Council postponed the election of one member from African States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014.

Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

The Council elected **France** and **Norway** to fill outstanding vacancies on the Governing Council for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2016.

The Council further postponed the election of two members from Eastern European States and one member from Western European and other States for terms expiring on 31 December 2015; and two members from Eastern European States and two members from Western European and other States for terms expiring on 31 December 2016, all for terms beginning on the date of election.

Nominations

Committee for Programme and Coordination

The Council nominated the following five Member States for election by the General Assembly for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Benin, China, Ethiopia, Haiti** and **Japan**.

The Council postponed the nomination of one member from African States and one member from Asia-Pacific States for election by the General Assembly for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014.

2013/201 C**Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 11th plenary meeting, on 6 May 2013, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary and related bodies:

Elections postponed from previous sessions**Committee for Programme and Coordination**

The Council nominated the following two Member States for election by the General Assembly to the Committee for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2014: **United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland** and **United States of America**.

The Council further postponed the nomination of two members from Western European and other States for terms beginning on the date of election by the General Assembly and expiring on 31 December 2014; one member from Western European and other States for a term beginning on the date of election by the General Assembly and expiring on 31 December 2015; and one member from African States and one member from Asia-Pacific States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014.

Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

Pursuant to Council resolution 2000/22 of 28 July 2000, the President of the Council appointed the following eight members to the Permanent Forum for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2014: **Mariam Wasset Med Aboubakrine** (Burkina Faso), **Kara-Kys Arakchaa** (Russian Federation), **Joan Carling** (Philippines), **María Eugenia Choque Quispe** (Plurinational State of Bolivia), **Raja Devashish Roy** (Bangladesh), **Dalee Sambo Dorrough** (United States of America), **Edward John** (Canada) and **Valmaine Toki** (New Zealand).

2013/201 D**Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council****Appointment****Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters**

At its 48th plenary meeting, on 26 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the appointment by the Secretary-General of the following 25 experts for a four-year term expiring on 30 June 2017: **Khalid Abdulrahman Almuftah** (Qatar), **Mohammed Amine Baina** (Morocco), **Bernadette May Evelyn Butler** (Bahamas), **Andrew Dawson** (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland), **El Hadji Ibrahima Diop** (Senegal), **Johan Cornelius de la Rey** (South Africa), **Noor Azian Abdul Hamid** (Malaysia), **Liselott Kana** (Chile), **Toshiyuki Kemmochi** (Japan), **Cezary Krysiak** (Poland), **Armando Lara Yaffar**

(Mexico), Wolfgang Karl Albert Lasars (Germany), Tizhong Liao (China), Henry John Louie (United States of America), Enrico Martino (Italy), Eric Nii Yarboi Mensah (Ghana), Ignatius Kawaza Mvula (Zambia), Carmel Peters (New Zealand), Jorge Antonio Deher Rachid (Brazil), Satit Rungkasiri (Thailand), Pragya S. Saksena (India), Christoph Schelling (Switzerland), Stig B. Sollund (Norway), Ingela Willfors (Sweden) and Ulvi Yusifov (Azerbaijan).

2013/202

Proposed date of the special high-level meeting of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its resolution 2009/30 of 31 July 2009, decided, on an exceptional basis, that its special high-level meeting with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development would be held at United Nations Headquarters on 22 April 2013.

2013/203

Proposed date of the meeting of the Economic and Social Council on external debt sustainability and development

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council, recalling General Assembly resolution 67/198 of 21 December 2012, decided that the one-day meeting of the Council to consider lessons learned from debt crises and the ongoing work on sovereign debt restructuring and debt resolution mechanisms would be held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 April 2013, in conjunction with the special high-level meeting of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development.

2013/204

Proposed date of the meeting of the Economic and Social Council on international cooperation in tax matters

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its resolution 2012/33 of 27 July 2012, decided that the one-day meeting of the Council to consider the question of international cooperation in tax matters, including institutional arrangements to promote such cooperation, would be held at United Nations Headquarters on 29 May 2013.

2013/205**Provisional agenda for the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council, having considered the proposed basic programme of work of the Council for 2013 and 2014,¹ took note of the provisional agenda for its substantive session of 2013.²

2013/206**Basic programme of work of the Economic and Social Council for 2014**

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the list of questions for inclusion in the programme of work of the Council for 2014.³

2013/207**Working arrangements for the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided on the following working arrangements for its substantive session of 2013:

- (a) The high-level segment would be held from Monday, 1 July, to Thursday, 4 July;
- (b) The coordination segment would be held from Friday, 5 July, to Tuesday, 9 July;
- (c) The operational activities segment would be held from Wednesday, 10 July, to Friday, 12 July;
- (d) The informal joint event of the operational activities and humanitarian affairs segments on the issue of the transition from relief to development⁴ would be held on the morning of Monday, 15 July;
- (e) The humanitarian affairs segment would be held from the afternoon of Monday, 15 July, to Wednesday, 17 July;
- (f) The general segment would be held from Thursday, 18 July, to Thursday, 25 July;
- (g) The work of the 2013 substantive session of the Council would conclude on Friday, 26 July.

¹ E/2013/1.

² Ibid., sect. I.

³ Ibid., sect. II.

⁴ General Assembly resolution 58/114, para. 6.

2013/208**Operational activities segment of the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided that the work of the operational activities segment of its substantive session of 2013 should be devoted to the progress in the implementation of General Assembly resolution 67/226 of 21 December 2012 on the quadrennial comprehensive policy review of the United Nations operational activities for development.

2013/209**Appointment of an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti**

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 15 February 2013, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its resolutions 2004/52 of 23 July 2004, 2005/46 of 27 July 2005, 2006/10 of 26 July 2006, 2007/13 of 25 July 2007, 2008/10 of 23 July 2008, 2009/4 of 23 July 2009, 2010/28 of 23 July 2010 and 2012/21 of 26 July 2012 and its decisions 2004/322 of 11 November 2004, 2009/211 of 20 April 2009, 2009/267 of 15 December 2009, 2011/207 of 17 February 2011, 2011/211 of 26 April 2011 and 2011/268 of 28 July 2011, and having considered the letter dated 24 July 2012 from the Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Council,⁵ decided to appoint the Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations as an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti.

2013/210**Special responsibilities of the Bureau of the Economic and Social Council for the substantive session of 2013**

At its 5th plenary meeting, on 28 February 2013, on the proposal of the President (Colombia), the Economic and Social Council decided that the special responsibilities of the Bureau for the substantive session of the Council of 2013 would be as follows: the high-level segment and the conclusion of the work of the session would be the responsibility of the President of the Council, Néstor Osorio (Colombia); the coordination segment would be the responsibility of the Vice-President from the Sudan, Daffa-Alla Elhag Ali Osman; the operational activities segment would be the responsibility of the Vice-President from Albania, Ferit Hoxha; the humanitarian affairs segment would be the responsibility of the Vice-President from Pakistan, Mohammad Masood Khan; and the general segment would be the responsibility of the Vice-President from Austria, Martin Sajdik.

⁵ E/2012/88.

2013/211**Theme for the item on regional cooperation of the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 10th plenary meeting, on 25 April 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided that the theme for the item on regional cooperation of its substantive session of 2013 would be "Regional perspectives on the post-2015 development agenda".

2013/212**Theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 10th plenary meeting, on 25 April 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided that:

- (a) The theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of its substantive session of 2013 would be "The future of humanitarian affairs: towards greater inclusiveness, coordination, interoperability and effectiveness";
- (b) It would convene two panels, the topic of which would be:
 - (i) "Reducing vulnerability, improving capacities and managing risks: an approach for humanitarian and development actors to work together";
 - (ii) "Promoting humanitarian innovation for improved response".

2013/213**Economic and Social Council event to discuss the transition from relief to development**

At its 11th plenary meeting, on 6 May 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided that, with regard to the event to discuss the transition from relief to development:

- (a) The title of the event would be "Supporting national priorities in a process of transition from relief to development: United Nations delivering as one";
- (b) The event would be an informal activity held on the morning of 15 July 2013;
- (c) The event would consist of one panel discussion, and there would be no negotiated outcome.

2013/214**Agenda and organization of work for the substantive session of 2013 of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 14th plenary meeting, on 1 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council adopted the agenda of its substantive session of 2013 (E/2013/100), approved its programme of work (E/2013/L.7), took note of the list of documents (E/2013/L.8 and

E/2013/CRP.1) for the session, and approved the list of non-governmental organizations (E/2013/84) recommended by the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations to be heard by the Council under the agenda items indicated therein.

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Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the follow-up to policy recommendations of the General Assembly and the Council, and the reports of the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services, the United Nations Children's Fund, the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women and the World Food Programme

At its 32nd plenary meeting, on 12 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the following:

- (a) Report of the Secretary-General on the analysis of funding of operational activities for development of the United Nations system for 2011 (A/68/97-E/2013/87, circulated in English only);
- (b) Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 67/226 on the quadrennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system (E/2013/94, advance unedited version circulated as an informal paper);
- (c) Note by the Secretary-General on the policy for independent system-wide evaluation of operational activities for development of the United Nations system (advance unedited version circulated as an informal paper);
- (d) Report of the Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services on its work during 2012 (E/2012/35);
- (e) Report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme and of the Executive Directors of the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services to the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/5);
- (f) Annual report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Children's Fund to the Economic and Social Council (E/2013/6);
- (g) Annual report of the World Food Programme for 2012 (E/2013/14);
- (h) Reports of the Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund on the work of its first regular session of 2013 (E/2013/34 (Part I) and Add.1);
- (i) Report of the Executive Board of the World Food Programme on the first and second regular sessions and annual session of 2012 (E/2013/36);
- (j) Note by the Secretariat on the operational activities of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (E/2013/48);

(k) Extract from the report of the Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund on its 2013 annual session: decisions adopted by the Executive Board at its annual session of 2013 (E/2013/L.12).

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Report of the eighteenth session of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation

At its 32nd plenary meeting, on 12 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided to defer its consideration of the report of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation on its eighteenth session to its substantive session of 2014.

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Applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification received from non-governmental organizations

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided:

(a) To grant consultative status to the following 159 non-governmental organizations:

Special consultative status

Acronym Institute
 Action of Human Movement
 Action solidaire pour un développement entretenu à la base
 African Computer and Technology Literacy Awareness Program
 Alliance Creative Community Project
 Al-Mahdi Institute
 American Heart Association
 American Medical College of Homeopathy
 Amis des étrangers au Togo
 Amuta for NGO Responsibility
 Anchor of Salvation International Ministries
 Archbishop E. Kataliko Actions for Africa "KAF"
 Asociación Centro Indígena para el Desarrollo Sostenible
 Asociația "Fondul Internațional de Cooperare și Parteneriat al Marii Negre și Marii Caspice"
 Associação Novo Encanto de Desenvolvimento Ecológico
 Association Al-Biri Charitable (Al-Khaireh)
 Association d'aide à l'éducation de l'enfant handicapé
 Association de Solidarité Aide et Action Enfance Mali "ASAA/EM Jigiya Ton"
 Association for Citizen's Tolerance and Cooperation
 Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education
 Association Ibn Sina pour le traitement des malades et sinistrés
 Association pour la promotion de la lutte contre les violences faites aux femmes et la participation au développement de la femme africaine
 Association sénégalaise pour la promotion des énergies renouvelables

Asylum Access
Atheist Alliance International
Barinu Institute for Economic Development
Befa Women and Child Care Foundation
Benin Environment and Education Society
Binaytara Foundation
Büro zur Umsetzung von Gleichbehandlung
Carre Geo and Environnement
Catholic Health Association of India
Católicas por el Derecho a Decidir, Córdoba
Center for International Virtual Schooling
Centre de recherche et d'éducation pour le développement
Centre for Climate Change and Environmental Study
Centre for Community Economics and Development Consultants Society
Chaithanya Samskarika Vedi Chennamangaloor P.O.
Child Aid Development Foundation International
Civil Society Platform for Social Protection
Comité de lutte contre les pandémies pour le développement durable au
Cameroun
Community Education Services Canada
Community Emergency Response Initiative
Community Youth Network Program
Cork Forest Conservation Alliance
Deutsches Komitee für UN-Women
Ekap Achi Foundation
Ekta Welfare Society
Ethics Institute of South Africa
European Center for Constitutional and Human Rights
Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union of America
Fédération des villes moyennes
Fiorello H. LaGuardia Foundation
Fondation Mohammed VI pour la recherche et la sauvegarde de l'arganier
Fondation Nehemie
Fondation pour les études et recherches sur le développement international
Foundation for Women
Friends of the Institute for Strategic Threat Analysis and Response
Fundación Familias Monoparentales Isadora Duncan
Fundación Síndrome de Down del Caribe
Gede Foundation
Geopolitikai Tanács Közhasznú Alapítvány
Global Foundation for Democracy and Development
Globe Vert
Greener Impact International
Groupe communication internationale en technologies, cultures et services
Gwoup Lespwa ak Lavi
Halley Movement for Social and Community Development
Humanitaire plus
Ilitha Labantu
Inga Foundation
Institut international pour la paix, la justice et les droits de l'homme

International Academy of Sciences on Information, Information Procedures
 and Technologies
 International Council for the Day of Vesak
 International Council of Academies of Engineering and Technological
 Sciences
 International Family Forestry Alliance
 International Relief Friendship Foundation
 International Seafood Sustainability Foundation
 International Services Association
 International Union of Parents and Teachers
 İqtisadi Resursların Öyrnilməsi İctimai Birliyi
 Iranian Vegetable Oil Industries Association
 Iraqi Al-Mortaqa Foundation for Human Development
 Isiziba Community-Based Organisations of South Africa
 Japan Asia Cultural Exchanges
 Japan Center for a Sustainable Environment and Society
 Kenya Healthcare Federation
 Kevoy Community Development Institute
 Kinder in Kenia
 KinderEnergy
 Les rencontres du Mont-Blanc — Forum international de l'économie sociale
 LIGHT Africa
 Mama Zimbi Foundation
 Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life Education Fund
 MIROSLAVA International Alliance
 Mission des volontaires contre la pauvreté
 Modern Advocacy, Humanitarian, Social and Rehabilitation Association
 Moremi Initiative for Women's Leadership in Africa
 Mosaic
 National Law Center on Homelessness and Poverty
 Negev Coexistence Forum
 Organisation de développement et des droits de l'homme au Cameroun
 Organisation des jeunes pour le monde d'avenir
 Organisation des laïcs engagés du Sacré-Cœur pour le développement de
 Kimbond
 Organisation internationale pour la sécurité des transactions électroniques
 Organisation internationale pour le développement intégral de la femme
 Outreach Social Care Project
 Peace Corps of Nigeria
 Perfect Union
 Pitirim Sorokin-Nikolai Kondratieff International Institute
 Population Media Center
 Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz International Prize for Water
 Prisoners' Legal Service
 Pro-Biodiversity Conservationists in Uganda
 Registered Trustees of Pastoralists Indigenous Non-Governmental Trust
 (PINGOs — Forum)
 Rehabilitation Engineering Society of North America
 Réseau national de la jeunesse de Côte d'Ivoire
 Responding To Climate Change

Ripples International Registered Trustees
Rokpa International
School of Environmental Studies Education Foundation
Science of Spirituality
Shalupe Foundation
Sisters Inside
Social and Healthy Action for Rural Empowerment
Solidarité pour un monde meilleur
St. Louis Aquacenter
Stichting Both Ends
Stichting Justitia et Pax Nederland
Strategic Humanitarian Services
Support for Women in Agriculture and Environment
Syrian Environment Protection Society
TOKACF Consul Cabinet Cameroon
Treasureland Health Builders
TrustAfrica
Twekembe Association Centre for Rural Systems and Development
Umuada Igbo Nigeria
Under The Same Sun Fund
Union syndicale des agriculteurs
United Nations Association Of New Zealand
Vicony's Global Success World
Volunteers for Africa
Water Safety Initiative Foundation
WITNESS
Women Research Center
World Faith Inc
World Stroke Organization
World Toilet Organisation
World Union of Small and Medium Enterprises
Yayasan Pendidikan Indonesia
Yeien
Yoga in Daily Life USA
Young Naturalist Network
Young Women's Christian Association
Youth Affairs Network of Queensland
Youth Awareness and Guidance Organisation, Agbarha-Otor
Youth for a Child in Christ
Youth Net and Counselling
Zoï Environment Network

(b) To note the withdrawal by the following non-governmental organization of its application for consultative status:

Coalition mondiale contre la peine de mort

(c) To reclassify the following three non-governmental organizations from special to general consultative status:

Fundación Global Democracia y Desarrollo
International Institute of Administrative Sciences
International Road Transport Union

(d) To note that the Committee decided to take note of the change of name of the following four non-governmental organizations:

Fonds E7 pour le développement énergétique durable (special, 2000) to Fonds pour le développement énergétique durable
 Tomorrow's Peacekeepers Today (special, 2012) to Peacebuilding Solutions
 UNIFEM Sweden (special, 2011) to UN-Women — Nationell Kommitté Sverige
 Youth Crime Watch of Nigeria (special, 2010) to Africa Centre for Citizens Orientation

(e) To note that the Committee took note of the quadrennial reports of the following 277 non-governmental organizations:⁶

Academic Council on the United Nations System
 Action Canada for Population and Development
 Advocates for Human Rights
 Africa Humanitarian Action
 African Aid Organization
 African Canadian Legal Clinic
 Agence de développement économique et culturel nord-sud
 Agency for Cooperation and Research in Development
 Aging Research Center
 Agricultural Missions
 AIDS Information Switzerland
 Aland Islands Peace Institute
 Al-Haq
 Alliance for Arab Women
 American Association of University Women
 American Civil Liberties Union
 American Life League
 Arab Centre for the Independence of the Judiciary and the Legal Profession
 Art of Living Foundation
 Asia Crime Prevention Foundation
 Asia-Japan Women's Resource Centre
 Asian Forum for Human Rights and Development
 Asian Forum of Parliamentarians on Population and Development
 Asociación Mujeres Unidas para el Microcrédito
 Asociación Regional de Empresas de Petróleo y Gas Natural en Latinoamérica y el Caribe
 Assemblea delle Donne per lo Sviluppo e la Lotta Contro L'Esclusione Sociale
 Association d'équipements collectifs La Castellane
 Association for the Prevention of Torture
 Association of Families and Women in Rural Areas
 Association tunisienne des droits de l'enfant
 AVSI Foundation
 Baltic Sea Forum

⁶ The reports listed are for the period 2008-2011, with the exception of 25 reports for the period 2007-2010 and one report for the period 2005-2008, as indicated in the list with the dates in parentheses.

Batani International Development Fund for Indigenous Peoples of the North,
Siberia and the Far East of the Russian Federation
Bharat Sevashram Sangha
Bischöfliches Hilfswerk Misereor
Black Sea Civil Society Solidarity Association
Bochasanwasi Shri Akshar Purushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha
Canadian Labour Congress
CARE International (2007-2010)
Catholic Institute for International Relations
Catholic Medical Mission Board
Center for Alcohol and Drug Research and Education (2007-2010)
Center for Egyptian Women's Legal Assistance Foundation
Center for Justice and International Law
Center for Women's Global Leadership
Centre for European Constitutional Law: Themistocles and Dimitris Tsatsos
Foundation
Centre for Social Research
Centre indépendant de recherches et d'initiatives pour le dialogue
Centro de Estudios Europeos
Cercle de recherche sur les droits et les devoirs de la personne humaine
Chabad: International Jewish Educational and Cultural Network
Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Production of the Argentine Republic
Child Family Health International
Children International
China Association for Science and Technology
China Care and Compassion Society
China Great Wall Society (2007-2010)
China Green Foundation (2007-2010)
CIVICUS: World Alliance for Citizen Participation
Climate Institute
Comisión Jurídica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos
"Capaj" (2007-2010)
Commission of the Churches on International Affairs of the World Council of
Churches
Comunicación Cultural
Congregation of Our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd
Congress of Aboriginal Peoples
Cooperazione Internazionale
Coordination française du lobby européen des femmes
Corporation of Opportunity and Jointly Action
Council on Health Research for Development
December 18 vzw (2007-2010)
Drug Abuse Information Rehabilitation and Research Centre
Dutch Council for Refugees
Earth Society Foundation
Eastern African Sub-Regional Support Initiative for the Advancement of
Women
Egyptian AIDS Society
Endeavour Forum
European Network of Policewomen

Family Action Foundation
 Federación de Asociaciones de Defensa y Promoción de los Derechos Humanos
 Federación Estatal de Lesbianas, Gays, Transexuales y Bisexuales
 Federatie van Nederlandse Verenigingen tot Integratie Van Homoseksualiteit — COC Nederland
 Federation of Environmental and Ecological Diversity for Agricultural Revampment and Human Rights
 Federation of Jain Associations in North America
 Femmes Afrique solidarité
 Femmes solidaires
 Finnish Youth Cooperation
 Fondation Ostad Elahi: éthique et solidarité humaine
 Foundation ECPAT International
 Foundation for a Culture of Peace
 Foundation for Human Rights and Freedoms and Humanitarian Relief
 Foundation for Subjective Experience and Research
 Foundation for the Social Promotion of Culture
 Foundation for the Support of the United Nations
 Fraternité Notre Dame
 Friends Society in Social Service
 Front Line: International Foundation for the Protection of Human Rights Defenders
 Fundação de Assistência Médica Internacional
 Fundación Cultural Baur
 Fundación Global Democracia y Desarrollo
 Fundación Instituto Psicopedagógico Uruguayo
 Fundación para la Libertad "Askatasun Bidean"
 General Federation of Jordanian Women (2007-2010)
 General Research Institute on the Convention on the Rights of the Child
 Geneva Social Observatory
 Global 2000 (2010) International
 Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition
 Global Fund for Women (2007-2010)
 Global Hand
 Global Policy Forum
 Global Workers Justice Alliance
 Globe Aware
 Globe International (2007-2010)
 God's Harvest Foundation
 GOI Peace Foundation
 Good Neighbours International
 Gran Fraternidad Universal
 Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society
 Help Handicapped International
 Hong Kong Federation of Women
 Hope Worldwide
 Human Lactation Center
 Human Rights Watch (2005-2008)
 Humane Society of the United States

Ibero American Institute of Aeronautic and Space Law and Commercial Aviation
Indian Social Institute
Institut International des sciences politiques
Institute for Agriculture and Trade Policy
Institute for Cognitive Science Studies (2007-2010)
Institute for Multicultural Communications, Cooperation and Development
Institute for the Development in Education, Arts and Leisure
Institute of International Social Development
Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology
Institute of Social Studies Trust
Inter-American Statistical Institute
International Association against Painful Experiments on Animals
International Automobile Federation
International Buddhist Relief Organisation
International Catholic Child Bureau
International Catholic Migration Commission
International Commission of Catholic Prison Pastoral Care
International Confederation for Family Support (2007-2010)
International Council on Alcohol and Addictions
International Council on Social Welfare
International Federation of Beekeepers Associations
International Federation of Multimedia Associations
International Federation of Resistance Movements
International Harm Reduction Association (2007-2010)
International HIV/AIDS Alliance
International Humanist and Ethical Union
International Institute for Human Rights, Environment and Development
International Lactation Consultant Association
International Movement Against All Forms of Discrimination and Racism
International Movement of Apostolate in the Independent Social Milieus
International Native Tradition Interchange
International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (2007-2010)
International NGO Forum on Indonesian Development
International Planned Parenthood Federation (South Asia Region Office)
International Police Association
International Presentation Association of the Sisters of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims
International Youth Hostel Federation
Isis: International Women's Information and Communication Service
Islamic Women's Institute of Iran
Istituto Internazionale Maria Ausiliatrice delle Salesiane di Don Bosco
IUS PRIMI VIRI International Association
Jamaican Association on Mental Retardation (2007-2010)
Japanese Workers Committee for Human Rights
Jeunesse horizon
Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice
Jordanian Hashemite Fund for Human Development (2007-2010)
Kenya Alliance for the Advancement of Children

Kindernothilfe
 Lawyers without Borders
 Lebanese Welfare Association for the Handicapped
 Legal Advisory Office for Popular Organizations
 Lutheran World Federation
 Maryam Ghasemi Educational Charity Institute (2007-2010)
 Match International Centre
 Médecins du monde (international)
 Minority Rights Group
 Mother Child Education Foundation
 Mother's Union
 Mouvement mondial des mères international
 Mukono Multi-purpose Youth Organisation
 Myochikai (Arigatou Foundation)
 National Alliance of Women's Organizations (2007-2010)
 National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (2007-2010)
 National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Clubs
 National Centre for Sustainable Development
 National Council of Women of Great Britain
 National Space Society
 Nature Conservancy
 Network of Non-Governmental Organisations of Trinidad and Tobago for the
 Advancement of Women
 New Future Foundation
 NGO Health Committee
 Nippon International Cooperation for Community Development
 Okedongmu Children in Korea
 Ordre des avocats de Paris
 Organisation de Bender Djedid pour le développement socio-économique
 Organisation mondiale des experts-conseils arbitres
 Organisation pour la communication en Afrique et de promotion de la
 coopération économique internationale
 Palestinian Centre for Human Rights
 Partnership for Global Justice
 Partnership for Indigenous Peoples Environment
 Peace Education Foundation
 People to People
 People with Disabilities Uganda
 People's Solidarity for Participatory Democracy
 Peter Hesse Foundation: Solidarity in Partnership for One World
 Plateforme pour le développement durable des Caraïbes
 Population Council
 Pos Keadilan Peduli Ummat
 Project One
 Pugwash Conference on Science and World Affairs (2007-2010)
 Rehab Group
 Rehabilitation and Research Centre for Torture Victims
 Réseau malien des journalistes pour la lutte contre la corruption et la pauvreté
 Right to Play
 Roma Centre for Social Intervention and Studies

Rural Africa Water Development Initiative
Saratoga Foundation for Women Worldwide
Shinji Shumeikai
Ship and Ocean Foundation
Singamma Sreenivasan Foundation (2007-2010)
Sister to Sister International
Smile of the Child
Social Action Forum for Manav Adhikar
Social Service Agency of the Protestant Church in Germany
Society for the Protection and Assistance of Socially Disadvantaged
Individuals
Society of Catholic Medical Missionaries
Society Studies Centre
Soroptimist International
South Asia Partnership International
Stichting Rutgers WPF
Stree Atyachar Virodhi Parishad
Stree Mukti Sanghatana (2007-2010)
SustainUS
Talented Girl Students Trust
Turkish Foundation for Combating Soil Erosion, for Reforestation and the
Protection of Natural Habitats
UMUT Foundation
Union internationale des huissiers de justice et officiers judiciaires
United Methodist Church General Board of Global Ministries
United Nations Association of China
Universal Networking Digital Language Foundation
Universal Peace Federation
Vikash
Virginia Gildersleeve International Fund
VIVAT International
Volontari nel Mondo
War Veterans Committee
Winrock International Institute for Agricultural Development
Women and Modern World Centre
Women Organizing for Change in Agriculture and Natural Resource
Management
Women Trafficking and Child Labour Eradication Foundation (2007-2010)
Women's Action Group (2007-2010)
Women's Association of Macau
Women's Consortium of Nigeria
Women's Health and Education Organization
Women's International League for Peace and Freedom
Won-Buddhism Women's Association
Woods Hole Research Center
Word of Life Christian Fellowship
World Council of Independent Christian Churches
World Futures Studies Federation (2007-2010)
World Human Dimension
World of Hope International

World Veterans Federation
 World Vision International
 World Wide Fund for Nature International
 World Youth Alliance
 World Youth Foundation
 WorldWIDE Network Nigeria: Women in Development and Environment
 Yachay Wasi
 Youth for Unity and Voluntary Action
 Yugoslav Youth Association Against AIDS: Youth of JAZAS
 Zayed International Prize for the Environment
 Zoroastrian Women's Organization (2007-2010)

(f) To close without prejudice consideration of the requests for consultative status made by the following 15 non-governmental organizations after those organizations had failed, after three reminders over the course of two consecutive sessions of the Committee, to respond to queries posed to them by members of the Committee:

350.org
 Al Tajdeed Cultural Social Society
 Alternatives, réseau d'action et communication pour le développement international
 American Library Association
 Bridging the Gulf
 Canadian Shooting Sports Association
 Care Continuum Alliance
 Environmental Justice Foundation Charitable Trust
 Euro-Mediterranean Human Rights Network
 Isfahan Association for Protection of Human Rights
 Jerusalem Legal Aid and Human Rights Center
 Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine
 Solar Energy Industries Association
 World Pulse Voices
 Zeitgeist — the Spirit of the Times

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Request for withdrawal of consultative status

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the request for withdrawal of consultative status by the Rural Women Empowerment and Life Improvement Association.

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Report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its 2013 regular session

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its 2013 regular session.

2013/220**Applications for consultative status, requests for reclassification and quadrennial reports received from non-governmental organizations**

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided:

(a) To grant special consultative status to the following 161 non-governmental organizations:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporation Family Violence Prevention and Legal Service (Victoria)
 Access Bangladesh Foundation
 Action for Peace through Prayer and Aid
 Action Secours Ambulance
 Aequalia
 Africa Peace Forum
 African Artists for Development
 African Palliative Care Association
 AIDS Vaccine Advocacy Coalition
 Akademsko Drustvo za Medunarodne Odnose
 Almanar Voluntary Organization
 Alsalam Foundation
 American Diabetes Association
 Arab African American Womens' Leadership Council
 Asociacion Gilberto
 Asociación HazteOir.org
 Associação Brasileira de Celulose e Papel
 Association camerounaise pour la prise en charge de la personne âgée
 Association for Integrated Development-Comilla
 Association for Protection of Refugee and Internally Displaced Women and Children
 Association internationale des médecins pour la promotion de l'éducation et de la santé en Afrique
 Association mouvement pour la défense de l'humanité et abolition de la torture
 Association pour le développement des initiatives citoyennes et européennes
 Association Tierra Incógnita
 Association togolaise d'étude, de recherche et d'appui au développement humain durable
 Association trait d'union des jeunes burkinabé
 Assyrian Universal Alliance Americas Chapter
 Auspice Stella
 Australian Lesbian Medical Association
 Autre vie
 Bangladesh Rural Advancement Committee
 Barka Foundation
 Cameroon Youths and Students Forum for Peace
 Centro Integrado de Estudos e Programas de Desenvolvimento Sustentável
 Centro Mexico de Derecho Ambiental
 Centro Panafricano Kituo Cha Wanafrika

China Soong Ching Ling Foundation
 Collectif des femmes africaines du Hainaut
 Comisión Mexicana de Defensa y Promoción de los Derechos Humanos
 Commission on Voluntary Service and Action
 Community Awareness Raising and Advocacy Ventures Around Needs
 Community Research and Development Centre
 Competitiveness Company
 Conserve Africa Foundation
 Consortium Congo Development
 Contact Base
 Coordinadora Andina de Organizaciones Indígenas
 Corporación Centro de Estudios de Derecho, Justicia y Sociedad
 Corporación Red Nacional de Mujeres Comunes, Comunitarias, Indígenas y
 Campesinas de la Republica de Colombia
 Corporativa de Fundaciones
 Drug Abuse Prevention Centre
 Eakok Attomanobik Unnayan Sangstha
 Earthquakes and Megacities Initiative
 Eastern Alliance for Safe and Sustainable Transport
 Ecoforum of Non-Governmental Organizations of Uzbekistan
 Ecumenical Advocacy Alliance
 Educació per a l'Acció Crítica
 Equal Right to Life
 European Window Film Association
 Family and Life
 Family Educational Services Foundation
 Feminenza Kenya
 Fondation Nature et Vie
 Fondation pour le dialogue des civilisations
 Foundation for Autism Support and Training
 Foundation for Responsible Media
 Freann Financial Services
 Friends of the Global Fund Africa
 Fundación DARA Internacional
 Global Campaign for Climate Action
 Global Environment and Technology Foundation
 Global Health and Awareness Research Foundation
 Global Political Trends Center
 Global Race Against Poverty and HIV/AIDS in Nigeria
 Global Welfare Association
 Global Wind Energy Council
 Groupe d'action pour la protection et la promotion de la flore et la faune
 Groupe d'économie solidaire du Québec
 Heartbeat International Foundation
 HEDA Resource Centre
 Help A Child Africa
 Homosexuelle Initiative Wien
 Human Rights Network (HURINET)
 Ideal World Foundation
 Imam Mahdi Association of Marjaeya

Impacto
Indian Dreams Foundation
Institute for Conflict Transformation and Peacebuilding
Institute for Practical Idealism
Institute of Economic Strategies
Integrated Development Services
Inter-Faith Vision Foundation Cameroon
International Association for Advancement of Space Safety
International Association for the Advancement of Innovative Approaches to
Global Challenges
International Federation of Hard of Hearing Young People
Islamic Foundation
Jeunes volontaires pour l'environnement
John Dau Foundation
Jordanian Women Union
Karabakh Foundation
Lawyers for Lawyers
Leprosy Mission International
Lift Up Care Foundation
Living Bread International Church
Maasai Youth Outreach Organization
Medical Emergency Relief International
Merciful Assistance Foundation
Merry Year Foundation
Montage Initiative
Moorish Holy Temple of Science/Moorish Science Temple
Mothers Legacy Project
Network for Women's Rights in Ghana
NeuroCare Ethiopia
Observatorio Regional para la Mujer de América Latina y el Caribe
Omega Research Foundation
Organisation for Gender, Civic Engagement and Youth Development
People's Development Initiatives
Per Ankh
Prevention Association of Social Harms
Rede Latino Americana de Organizações Não Governamentais de Pessoas com
Deficiência e Suas Famílias
Reforçamos México
Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary
Rescue and Hope
Rockefeller Foundation
Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung — Gesellschaftsanalyse und Politische Bildung
Royal Academy of Science International Trust
Rural Health Care Foundation
Sadguru Sadafaldeo Vihangam Yoga Sansthan
Scholars at Risk Network
Scouts du Niger
Shikhar Chetna Sangathan
Shushilan
Society for the Policing of Cyberspace

Society of Iranian Women Advocating Sustainable Development of the Environment
 Somali Help-Age Association
 Soroptimist International Great Britain and Ireland
 South Asia Partnership Pakistan
 Stichting Coalition for Work with Psychotrauma and Peace
 streetfootballworld
 Suomen YK-liitto Ry
 Support Home of God Project
 Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation
 Sustainable Development Institute
 Sustainable Rural Community Development Organisation
 Technical Centre for Fine Art and Computer Studies
 Türkiye Isadamları ve Sanayiciler Konfederasyonu
 Türkiye Yesilay Cemiyeti (Green Crescent)
 U.S. Azeris Network
 Vance Center
 Women Awareness Center Nepal
 Women Empowerment Literacy and Development Organization
 Women in Alternative Action
 World Hepatitis Alliance
 World Kabaddi Federation
 World Public Forum — Dialogue of Civilizations
 Worldwide Coalition for Peace
 Yogaathma Foundation
 Young Power in Social Action
 Youngstars Foundation International
 Youth Alliance for Leadership and Development in Africa
 Youth Path Organisation

(b) To reclassify the following non-governmental organization from special to general consultative status:

World Society for the Protection of Animals

(c) To note that the Committee decided to take note of the change of name of the following non-governmental organization:

National Committee for UNIFEM, Japan (special, 2007) to Japan National Committee for UN-Women

(d) To note that the Committee took note of the quadrennial reports of the following 112 non-governmental organizations:⁷

Academy of Mining Sciences
 Africa and Middle East Refugee Assistance (2007-2010)
 Africa-America Institute (2007-2010)
 African Peace Network
 African Women's Development and Communication Network
 Akina Mama Wa Afrika (2007-2010)

⁷ Of the 112 non-governmental organizations, 81 reported on the period 2008-2011 and 31 on the period 2007-2010 (indicated as such in parentheses).

Al Zubair Charity Foundation
 Alan Guttmacher Institute
 American Correctional Association (2007-2010)
 American Indian Law Alliance (2007-2010)
 American Planning Association
 American Psychological Association
 Antonio Restrepo Barco Foundation
 Arab Commission for Human Rights
 Arab Council for Childhood and Development (2007-2010)
 Arab Network for Environment and Development
 Arcidonna Onlus
 Asian-Pacific Resource and Research Centre for Women
 Asian Women in Cooperative Development Forum
 Association des volontaires pour l'assistance au développement en Guinée
 (2007-2010)
 Association for Solidarity with Freedom-Deprived Juveniles (2007-2010)
 Association haïtienne d'aide aux enfants nécessiteux et au relèvement des
 communes de l'Artibonite
 Association tunisienne de la communication et des sciences spatiales
 Canadian Federation of Agriculture
 CARAM Asia Berhad
 Carter Center
 Centre for Human Rights and Peace Advocacy
 Cesvi Fondazione
 Charitable Institute for Protecting Social Victims
 Child Welfare League of America
 China NGO Network for International Exchanges
 China Society for Promotion of the Guangcai Programme
 Chinese Society for Sustainable Development
 Coalition gaie et lesbienne du Québec (2007-2010)
 Colombian Confederation of NGOs (2007-2010)
 Comité pour les relations internationales de jeunesse de la communauté
 française de Belgique
 Community and Family Services International
 Development Promotion Group
 Egyptian Center for Women's Rights (2007-2010)
 Environic Foundation International
 European Intermodal Association
 Fondation Guilé (2007-2010)
 Fondation Mohammed V pour la solidarité
 Fondazione Giovanni e Francesca Falcone
 Fonds E7 pour le développement énergétique durable
 Foundation for the Child and the Family
 Fund for Women in Asia
 Geneva Infant Feeding Association
 Global Eco-Village Network
 Globetree (2007-2010)
 Grupo Ecológico Sierra Gorda
 Guyana Responsible Parenthood Association
 Habitat for Humanity International (2007-2010)

Human Relief Foundation (2007-2010)
Hunter College Center for Community and Urban Health
Indigenous Peoples Survival Foundation
International Academy of Ecology and Life Protection Sciences
International Alert (2007-2010)
International Association "Znanie"
International Association for Democracy in Africa
International Association for Media and Communication Research
International Association for the Protection of Intellectual Property
International Association of Penal Law
International Association of Soldiers for Peace (2007-2010)
International Centre for Missing and Exploited Children
International Corrections and Prisons Association for the Advancement of
Professional Corrections (2007-2010)
International Council of Environmental Law
International Family Therapy Association (2007-2010)
International Federation for Human Rights Leagues
International Federation of Hard of Hearing People
International Federation of Industrial Energy Consumers (2007-2010)
International Longevity Center (2007-2010)
International Paralympic Committee
International Prisoners Aid Association
International School Psychology Association
IT for Change
Japan Fellowship of Reconciliation (2007-2010)
Japanese Organization for International Cooperation in Family Planning
Les enfants de Frankie
Malaysian Medical Relief Society (2007-2010)
Médecins sans frontières (international)
Movimiento Cubano por la Paz y la Soberanía de los Pueblos
National Bar Association (2007-2010)
National Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty
National Union of the Association of Protection of Motherhood, Childhood
and Families (2007-2010)
Nigerian Army Officers' Wives Association
Norwegian Refugee Council
Pan European Forest Certification Council
Peace Parks Foundation
Press Council
Red de Educación Popular entre Mujeres
Research Centre for Feminist Action
Rural Litigation and Entitlement Kendra
Society for the Protection of the Rights of the Child
Solar Cookers International
Sudan Council of Voluntary Agencies
Union Arabischer Mediziner in Europa
Union de l'action féminine (2007-2010)
Victim Support Europe (2007-2010)
Vie Montante International
Voices of African Mothers

Wales Assembly of Women (2007-2010)
Woïyo Kondeye (2007-2010)
Women in Media and Entertainment
Women's Association for a Better Aging Society
World Alliance for Breastfeeding Action
World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts
World Association of the Major Metropolises
World Council for Psychotherapy (2007-2010)
World Energy Council
World Family Organization
World Rehabilitation Fund (2007-2010)

(e) To close without prejudice consideration of the requests for consultative status made by the following 45 non-governmental organizations after those organizations had failed, after three reminders over the course of two consecutive sessions of the Committee, to respond to queries posed to them by members of the Committee:

Addameer Prisoners Support and Human Rights Association
Alliance for Reproductive Health Rights
Arab Forum for Environment and Development
Associação Brasileira das Indústrias de Óleos Vegetais
Association of American Geographers
Ballerina Management Institute
Caputo Children's Fund
Carbon War Room Corporation
Centre for Social Transformation and Human Development
Coastal Association for Social Transformation Trust
Consumer Goods Forum
Dialogue International Kapiri-Mposhi District
Eliezh Foundation Initiative Uganda
Environmental Law Institute
Family Health Development Organization
Fundo Brasileiro para a Biodiversidade
Global Forum on Human Settlements
Good Hands
Hasaan Foundation
Health Global Access Project
Helping Hands International Foundation Inc.
Heritage Foundation
Human Rights Foundation
Instituto Ethos de Empresas e Responsabilidade Social
International Coalition against War Criminals — Norway
International Society for Ecological Economics
Last Hope International
Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law
Maan Television Network
National Muzzle Loading Rifle Association
New Vision International
Oikos — Stiftung für Oekonomie und Oekologie
Organisation pour la femme et le développement

Prime Educational and Social Trust
 Raynault Foundation
 Rural Peoples Sangham
 Sierra Leone Relief and Development Outreach
 Solicitors International Human Rights Group
 Spread the Wings Non-Governmental Organization for Children
 Stichting Global March Against Child Labour
 Sudanese Mothers for Peace
 Trustees of Tufts College
 Union of Palestinian Non-Governmental Organizations
 Yadgar Welfare Society
 Youth Service America

(f) To note the withdrawal of the application of the following non-governmental organization:

Curia Generalizia dei Marianisti

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Suspension of consultative status of non-governmental organizations with outstanding quadrennial reports, pursuant to Council resolution 2008/4

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council, having confirmed at its resumed session in May 2013 that the Secretariat had reminded non-governmental organizations with outstanding quadrennial reports of their reporting obligation, had advised them of the consequences of their further non-compliance after 1 May 2013 and had notified the permanent missions of the Member States in which the headquarters of such organizations are based of the final reminders, decided, in accordance with its resolution 2008/4 of 21 July 2008, to suspend immediately, for a period of one year, the consultative status of the 154 non-governmental organizations listed below, and requested the Secretariat to advise the concerned organizations of their suspension:

Action pour le développement de l'agriculture et de la pêche avec protection
 environnementale de Likende
 Actions on Gender, Citizenship and Development
 Admiral Family Circle Islamic Community
 Advisory Network for African Information Society
 African Institute for Democracy
 African Youth Network for Sustainable Development
 Agudas Israel World Organization
 Ahmedabad Women's Action Group
 Airline Ambassadors International
 All About Social, Economic, Educational Rights Foundation
 All India Shah Behram Baug Society for Scientific and Educational Research
 Alliance for Marriage
 Alulbayt Foundation
 American Society for Training and Development
 Annai Educational Society
 Asociación Internacional de Presupuesto Público

Assemblée parlementaire de la francophonie
 Association algérienne d'alphabétisation
 Association coeur africain
 Association femme et développement
 Association for Sustainable Community Development
 Association François-Xavier Bagnoud
 Association jeunesse action développement
 Association nationale de volontariat "Touiza"
 Association of Organizations for Social and Educational Assistance
 Association Tunisie-méditerranée pour le développement durable
 Association tunisienne de lutte contre les MST/SIDA
 Association tunisienne de prévention de toxicomanie
 Association tunisienne des auberges et tourisme de jeunes
 Association tunisienne des femmes démocratiques
 Association VERSeau développement
 Avocats sans frontières (France)
 Catholic Daughters of the Americas
 Center for Development Services
 Center for International Rehabilitation
 Center for Victims of Torture
 Centre béninois pour le développement des initiatives à la base
 Centre for the Study of Administration of Relief
 Centro de Información y Educación para la Prevención del Abuso de Drogas
 Charitable Society for Social Welfare
 Chernobyl Union International
 Child Rights Action Coalition
 Chilean Corporation for Children Youth Rights
 Chintan Environmental Research and Action Group
 Christian Conference of Asia
 Citizens' Movement for Environmental Justice
 Collectif des organisations des jeunes solidaires du Congo — Kinshasa
 Colonie des pionniers de développement
 Comité de apoyo a los trabajadores agrícolas
 Comité national d'entraide de la jeunesse et de l'enfance
 Computer Professionals for Social Responsibility
 Dogal Hayati Koruma Derneği: Society for the Protection of Nature
 Droit à l'énergie SOS futur
 DrugScope
 Earthcorps
 Environmental Development Action in the Third World
 European Federation of Older Students at Universities
 Fédération des organisations non-gouvernementales du Sénégal
 Federation of Balkan Turks and Associations for Emigrés
 Federation of European Motorcyclists Associations
 Fondation connaissance et liberté
 Forest Alliance of British Columbia
 Foundation for Human Rights Initiative
 Foundation Partners for Local Development
 Fundación "8 de Marzo" para la Promoción de Mujeres y Jóvenes
 Fundación Guayasamín

Fundación Huancavilca
 Fundación Proyecto de Paz Mundial
 Geriatrics Care Foundation of Pakistan
 Global Action Plan International
 Global Fund for Children
 Gorakhpur Environmental Action Group
 Green Front of Iran
 Health for Humanity
 Hudson Institute
 Human Rights Information and Training Center
 India Vision Foundation
 Iniciativa Ciudadana ¡Basta Ya!
 Institute for Environment and Development Studies (Friends of the Earth
 Bangladesh)
 Institute for Interreligious Dialogue
 International Academy of Astronautics
 International Association of Youth and Family Judges and Magistrates
 International Astronautical Federation
 International Centre for Study and Development
 International Children's Dream Foundation
 International Council of Prison Medical Services
 International Criminal Defense Attorneys Association
 International Metalworkers Federation
 International Rural Housing Association
 ISIS International (Chile)
 Islamic Centre England
 Ittijah: Union of Arab Community-Based Associations
 Jigyansu Tribal Research Centre
 Junior Achievement Worldwide
 Kenya Medical Women's Association
 Knights of the Southern Cross (Australia)
 Latin American Iron and Steel Institute
 Lay Movement for Latin America
 Learning and Development Kenya
 Life Institute
 Ligue burundaise des droits de l'homme
 Ligue pour l'éducation de la femme et de l'enfant
 Links Incorporated
 Lokmanya Public Charitable Trust
 Mahila Dakshata Samiti
 Morality in Media
 Mountain Institute
 Mountain Women Development Organization
 National Association of University Women of Romania
 National Coalition for Haitian Rights
 National Council of Women of Thailand
 National Women's Studies Association
 Network of Human Development
 Nigeria-Togo Association
 Non-Governmental Organizations Coordinating Committee

NRO Frauenforum Entwicklungspolitisches Netzwerk
ODHIKAR
One World International
One World Trust
Organisation pour la promotion et la protection des droits de la femme et de
l'enfant au Burundi
Peaceways: Young General Assembly
Physicians for Peace
Planetary Association for Clean Energy
Radin Institute for Family Health Education and Promotion
Reach the Children
Rehabilitation and Development Organization for Landless
Relief International
Rencontres: International Association of French-speaking Anglicans and
Episcopalians
Research Institute for Enhancing Women's Lives
Romanian Youth Association for United Nations
Russian Public Movement "For Civil Rights"
Santé de la reproduction pour une maternité sans risque
School of Human Genetics and Population Health
Scouts tunisiens
Service for Peace
South-North Development Initiative
Thailand Environment Institute
Together Foundation for Global Unity
Turtle Island Restoration Network
Union of Arab Banks
Union of Kuwaiti Women Associations
Voluntary Action Network (India)
W. Haywood Burns Environmental Education Center
Women Action
Women Cultural Social Society
Women's Rights Association against Discrimination
Women's Rights Movement of the Philippines
Women's Shadow Parliament (Kenya)
Women's Solidarity Association of Iran
World Alliance of Reformed Churches
World Confederation of Teachers
World Organization for Education, Science and Development
World Organization of Former Students of Catholic Education
World Vision Canada

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**Reinstatement of consultative status of non-governmental
organizations that submitted outstanding quadrennial reports,
pursuant to Council resolution 2008/4**

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social
Council decided, in accordance with its resolution 2008/4 of 21 July 2008, and

recalling its decision 2012/222 of 23 July 2012, to reinstate the consultative status of the 44 non-governmental organizations listed below, which have submitted their outstanding quadrennial reports:

Africa and Middle East Refugee Assistance
 Africa-America Institute
 Akina Mama Wa Afrika
 American Correctional Association
 American Indian Law Alliance
 Arab Council for Childhood and Development
 Association des volontaires pour l'assistance au développement en Guinée
 Association for Solidarity with Freedom-Deprived Juveniles
 Center for Alcohol and Drug Research and Education
 Coalition gaie et lesbienne du Québec
 Colombian Confederation of NGOs
 Comisión Jurídica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos
 "Capaj"
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 Egyptian Center for Women's Rights
 Fondation Guilé
 Global Fund for Women
 Globe International
 Globetree
 Habitat for Humanity International
 Human Relief Foundation
 International Alert
 International Association of Soldiers for Peace
 International Corrections and Prisons Association for the Advancement of
 Professional Corrections
 International Family Therapy Association
 International Federation of Industrial Energy Consumers
 International Harm Reduction Association
 International Longevity Center
 International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse
 Japan Fellowship of Reconciliation
 Malaysian Medical Relief Society
 National Alliance of Women's Organizations
 National Bar Association
 National Union of the Association of Protection of Motherhood, Childhood
 and Families
 Pugwash Conference on Science and World Affairs
 Union de l'action féminine
 Victim Support Europe
 Wales Assembly of Women
 Woïyo Kondeye
 Women Trafficking and Child Labour Eradication Foundation
 Women's Action Group
 World Council for Psychotherapy
 World Futures Studies Federation
 World Rehabilitation Fund
 WorldWIDE Network Nigeria: Women in Development and Environment

2013/223**Withdrawal of consultative status of non-governmental organizations in accordance with Council resolution 2008/4**

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council, having confirmed at its resumed session in May 2013 that the Secretariat had reminded non-governmental organizations that had continued outstanding quadrennial reports and whose status had been suspended by the Council pursuant to Council decision 2012/222 of 23 July 2012 of their reporting obligation, that it had advised them of the consequences of their further non-compliance after 1 May 2013 and that it had notified the permanent missions of the Member States in which the headquarters of such organizations are based of the final reminders, decided, in accordance with its resolution 2008/4 of 21 July 2008, and recalling its decision 2012/222 of 23 July 2012, to withdraw immediately the consultative status of the 157 non-governmental organizations listed below, and requested the Secretariat to advise the concerned organizations of this decision:

A Child Is Missing
 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission
 Abraham Fund Initiatives
 Action pour le développement de l'Afrique à la base
 Afghan Development Association
 African Center Foundation
 African Development Institute
 African Refugees Foundation
 African Society of International and Comparative Law
 Agermanament sense fronteres
 Agir pour les femmes en situation précaire
 AIDS Action
 Alliance Niger-Nature
 Andean Commission of Jurists
 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation
 Asian Women's Conference Network
 Association algérienne d'alphabétisation
 Association de défense des Tunisiens à l'étranger
 Association de sauvegarde des monuments et sites
 Association féminine Tunisie 21
 Association for Social Advancement
 Association for the Advancement of Education
 Association for the Advancement of Psychological Understanding of Human Nature
 Association for the Protection of the Environment
 Association nationale de soutien aux enfants en difficulté et en institution
 Association of Arab-American University Graduates
 Association of Garbage Collectors for Community Development
 Association of Support to HIV-Infected and Affected Children and Their Families
 Association pour la taxation des transactions financières pour l'aide aux citoyens
 Association pour le développement harmonieux de la mère et de l'enfant du Cameroun

Association tunisienne des villages d'enfants SOS
Australian Council for International Development
Bangladesh Scholarship Council
Befrienders International
Black Sea University Foundation
Center for Democratic Renewal
Center for Human Rights and Environment
Centre d'étude et de recherche pour l'intégration régionale et le
développement de l'Afrique
Centre of Economic and Social Studies of the Third World
Cercle des amis de la forêt pour le 21e siècle
CHANGE
Civic Education Project
Coalition for Community Participation in Governance
College Art Association
Comité international des femmes africaines pour le développement
Commission for the Defense of Human Rights in Central America
Congo Watch
Cooperative Housing Foundation
Coordinating Body of the Indigenous Organizations in the Amazon Basin
Coordination des associations et ONG féminines du Mali
Cousteau Society
Croissant rouge algérien
Data for Development
Education pour la population et la vie familiale
Ethiopian Youth League
Europe 2000
European League for Economic Cooperation
European-Asian-Latin American Institute for Cooperation
Family of the Americas
Family Planning Association of Turkey
Family Planning Movement "Vrancea"
Federación Española de Asociaciones Pro Vida
Fédération de Tunis de solidarité sociale
Fédération des associations des handicapés moteurs
Federation of Muslim Women's Associations in Nigeria
Femme avenir
FEMVISION
Fondation internationale carrefour
Fondation Nicolas Hulot pour la nature et l'homme
Four Directions Council
François-Xavier Bagnoud Center for Health and Human Rights
Fundación Sales
Global Alliance for TB Drug Development
Global Metro City: The Global Forum
Globe Japan
Goodwill Industries International
Green Earth Organization
Group for Study and Research on Democracy and Economic and Social
Development in Africa

Human Rights Internet
Indian Muslim Federation (United Kingdom)
Information Society of Ukraine
Institut du développement durable et des relations internationales
Inter-American Federation of Touring and Automobile Clubs
International Centre of Sociological, Penal and Penitentiary Research and
Studies
International Council on Mining and Metals
International Federation of Agricultural Producers
International Federation of Persons with Physical Disability
International Federation of the Little Brothers of the Poor
International Medical Corps
International Prison Watch
International Self-Reliance Agency for Women
International Union of Public Transport
International Union of Students
International Young Christian Workers
Islamic Heritage Society
Karnataka Manava Vikas Sangha (Human Resources Development
Organization)
Keystone Center
Latin American Association of Development Financing Institutions
Latin American Human Rights Association
Liberty International
Life Education Center (US)
Little House of Nazareth
Local Government International Bureau
Lutte contre les violences faites aux femmes et enfants mineurs
MED Forum
Microteam éducation, apprentissage et nouvelles technologies
Mouvement "ni putes ni soumises"
Nadi Al Bassar
National Safety Council
National Union of Ghana Students
National Women's Political Caucus
Nigerian Centre for Research and Documentation
Nigerian Environmental Society
Norwegian Federation of Organizations of Disabled People
Oasis Open City Foundation
Organisation de la mère maghrébine
Organisation nationale de l'enfance tunisienne
Organization of African Trade Union Unity
Pacific Concerns Resource Centre
People to People International
People's Forum 2001 (Japan)
PEW Institute for Ocean Science
Planetary Society
ProChoix
Program Coordination for Integrated Health
Programme insertion des enfants déshérités

Religious Consultation on Population, Reproductive Health and Ethics
 Research Action and Information Network for Bodily Integrity of Women
 Rigoberta Menchú Tum Foundation
 S.O.S. femmes en détresse
 Salubrité, propreté, hygiène et techniques d'assainissement
 Samaritan Community Center
 Secours populaire libanais
 Service Peace and Justice in Latin America
 Société tunisienne des sciences médicales
 Society for Women and AIDS in Africa
 Solidarité africaine pour la préservation de la paix et de l'environnement en
 République centrafricaine
 SOS Drugs International
 South American Commission for Peace, Regional Security and Democracy
 South Asia Human Rights Documentation Centre
 Union interafricaine des droits de l'homme
 University of Missouri Kansas City Women's Council
 Vridhhi
 Vrouwen Alliantie
 Widows and Orphans Welfare Society of Kenya
 Women Justice Program
 Women, Law and Development International
 Women's Commission Research and Education Fund
 Women's Coordinating Committee for the Gulf and Arabian Peninsula
 Women's World Organization for Rights, Literature and Development
 World Confederation of Labour
 World Economic Forum
 World Population Society
 World University Service
 World Women's Christian Temperance Union
 WorldSpace Foundation
 Worldview International Foundation

2013/224

Dates of and provisional agenda for the 2014 session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Decided that the 2014 regular session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations would be held from 21 to 30 January and on 7 February 2014 and its resumed session from 19 to 28 May and on 6 June 2014;

(b) Approved the provisional agenda for the 2014 session of the Committee as set out below:

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification received from non-governmental organizations:
 - (a) Applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification deferred from previous sessions of the Committee;
 - (b) New applications for consultative status and new requests for reclassification;
 - (c) Applications of non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council that have merged with non-governmental organizations without such consultative status.
4. Quadrennial reports submitted by non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council:
 - (a) Deferred quadrennial reports submitted by non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Council;
 - (b) Review of quadrennial reports submitted by non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Council.
5. Strengthening of the Non-Governmental Organizations Branch of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat.
6. Review of the methods of work of the Committee: implementation of Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31, including the process of accreditation of representatives of non-governmental organizations, and Council decision 1995/304:
 - (a) Process of accreditation of representatives of non-governmental organizations;
 - (b) Consideration of issues on the agenda of the informal working group;
 - (c) Other related matters.
7. Consideration of special reports.
8. General voluntary trust fund in support of the United Nations Non-Governmental Organizations Informal Regional Network.
9. Provisional agenda and documentation for the 2015 session of the Committee.
10. Adoption of the report of the Committee.

2013/225**Report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its 2013 resumed session**

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its 2013 resumed session.

2013/226**Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the implementation of and follow-up to major United Nations conferences and summits and the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227, 52/12 B, 57/270 B and 60/265**

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the following documents:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 61/16 on the strengthening of the Economic and Social Council (A/67/736-E/2013/7);

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on the mainstreaming of the three dimensions of sustainable development throughout the United Nations system (A/68/79-E/2013/69);

(c) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report on the main decisions and policy recommendations of the Committee on World Food Security (A/68/73-E/2013/59).

2013/227**Implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227, 52/12 B, 57/270 B, 60/265 and 61/16**

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 18 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided to modify the title of item 8 (Implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227, 52/12 B, 57/270 B and 60/265), to include a reference to General Assembly resolution 61/16 as of the next substantive session of the Council.

2013/228**Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the item on regional cooperation**

At its 40th plenary meeting, on 19 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the following documents:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on regional cooperation in the economic, social and related fields (E/2013/15 and Add.1 and 2);

(b) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the reports of the Executive Secretaries of the Economic Commission for Europe and the Economic Commission for Africa on the project for a Europe-Africa fixed link through the Strait of Gibraltar: report on activities carried out during the period 2006-2013 and programme proposed for the period 2013-2015 (E/2013/21);

(c) Economic situation in the Economic Commission for Europe region: Europe, North America and the Commonwealth of Independent States in 2012-2013 (E/2013/16);

(d) Overview of economic and social conditions in Africa, 2012-2013 (E/2013/17);

(e) Summary of the Economic and Social Survey of Asia and the Pacific 2013 (E/2013/18);

(f) Latin America and the Caribbean: economic situation and outlook, 2012-2013 (E/2013/19);

(g) Summary of the survey of economic and social developments in the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia region, 2012-2013 (E/2013/20).

2013/229

Report of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development on its sixteenth session and provisional agenda and documentation for the seventeenth session of the Commission

At the 41st meeting, on 22 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development on its sixteenth session;⁸

(b) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the seventeenth session of the Commission as set out below.

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
2. Progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the World Summit on the Information Society outcomes at the regional and international levels.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

3. Science and technology for development

Priority themes:

- (a) Science, technology and innovation for the post-2015 development agenda:

⁸ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 11 (E/2013/31).*

- (i) Taking stock: a decade of Commission on Science and Technology for Development contributions to the Millennium Development Goals;
- (ii) Looking forward: science, technology and innovation prospects for the post-2015 development agenda.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (b) Information and communications technologies for inclusive social and economic development.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- 4. Presentation of reports on science, technology and innovation policy reviews.
- 5. Election of the Chair and other officers for the eighteenth session of the Commission.
- 6. Provisional agenda and documentation for the eighteenth session of the Commission.
- 7. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its seventeenth session.

2013/230

Documentation considered by the Economic and Social Council in connection with the reports of coordination bodies and the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015

At its 41st plenary meeting, on 22 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the following documents:

- (a) Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination on its fifty-third session (A/68/16);
- (b) Annual overview report of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination for 2012 (E/2013/60);
- (c) Relevant sections of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015 (relevant fascicles of A/68/6).

2013/231

African countries emerging from conflict

At its 42nd plenary meeting, on 22 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of integrated, coherent and coordinated support to South Sudan by the United Nations

system⁹ and requested that another report on the subject be submitted for the Council's consideration at its substantive session of 2014.

2013/232

Financing for humanitarian operations in the United Nations system

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 23 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Financing for humanitarian operations in the United Nations system" (A/67/867) and the comments by the Secretary-General and the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination (A/67/867/Add.1) on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit.

2013/233

Report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its fifty-seventh session and provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-eighth session of the Commission

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its fifty-seventh session¹⁰ and approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-eighth session of the Commission set out below:

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Annotated provisional agenda and proposed organization of work of the Commission on the Status of Women

3. Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and to the special session of the General Assembly entitled "Women 2000: gender equality, development and peace for the twenty-first century":
 - (a) Implementation of strategic objectives and action in critical areas of concern and further actions and initiatives:
 - (i) Priority theme: challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls;
 - (ii) Review theme: access and participation of women and girls in education, training and science and technology, including for the promotion of women's equal access to full employment and decent work;

⁹ E/2013/73.

¹⁰ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 7 (E/2013/27).*

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls

Report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women

Note by the Secretariat containing a discussion guide for the high-level round table on the challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls

- (b) Emerging issues, trends and new approaches to issues affecting the situation of women or equality between women and men;
- (c) Gender mainstreaming, situations and programmatic matters.

Documentation

Reports of the Secretary-General:

- Progress in mainstreaming a gender perspective in the development, implementation and evaluation of national policies and programmes, with a particular focus on the priority theme
- Situation of, and assistance to, Palestinian women
- Release of women and children taken hostage, including those subsequently imprisoned, in armed conflicts (in accordance with resolution 56/1 of the Commission)
- Eliminating maternal mortality and morbidity through the empowerment of women (in accordance with resolution 56/3 of the Commission)
- Women, the girl child and HIV and AIDS (in accordance with resolution 56/5 of the Commission)
- Ways and means to further enhance the impact of the work of the Commission

Report of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women on the activities of the United Nations Trust Fund in Support of Actions to Eliminate Violence against Women

Note by the Secretariat transmitting the outcome of the fifty-fourth and fifty-fifth sessions of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

4. Communications concerning the status of women.

Documentation

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the list of confidential communications concerning the status of women and responses thereto

5. Follow-up to Economic and Social Council resolutions and decisions.

Documentation

Letter from the President of the Economic and Social Council to the Chair of the Commission on the Status of Women

6. Provisional agenda for the fifty-ninth session of the Commission.
7. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-eighth session.

2013/234

Revised provisional agenda for the twentieth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council, further to its decision 2011/243 of 27 July 2011 approving the provisional agenda for the twentieth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development,¹¹ approved the revised provisional agenda for the twentieth session as set out below:

Provisional agenda for the twentieth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Lessons learned from the Commission on Sustainable Development, and the way forward.
4. Conclusion of the work of the Commission on Sustainable Development.
5. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its twentieth session.

2013/235

Report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-fourth session and the provisional agenda and dates for the forty-fifth session of the Commission

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Statistical Commission on its forty-fourth session;
- (b) Decided that the forty-fifth session of the Commission should be held in New York from 4 to 7 March 2014;
- (c) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-fifth session of the Commission as set out below:

¹¹ As contained in the report of the Commission on Sustainable Development on its nineteenth session (E/2011/29-E/CN.17/2011/20).

Provisional agenda for the forty-fifth session of the Commission

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Provisional agenda and annotations

Note by the Secretariat on the organization of the work of the session

3. Programme review: topic to be determined.

Documentation

Report of the programme reviewer

4. Demographic and social statistics:
 - (a) Population and housing censuses;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (b) Human settlements statistics;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

- (c) Social statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) Statistics on drugs and drug use;

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

- (e) Washington Group on Disability Measurement;

Documentation

Report of the Washington Group

- (f) Migration statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (g) Culture statistics.

Documentation

Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

5. Economic statistics:

- (a) National accounts;

Documentation

Report of the Intersecretariat Working Group on National Accounts

- (b) Agricultural statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Inter-Agency and Expert Group on Agricultural and Rural Statistics

Report of the Global Steering Committee

Report of the Wye Group on statistics on rural development and agriculture household income

- (c) Industrial statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) Energy statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

Report of the Oslo Group on Energy Statistics

- (e) Distributive trade statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (f) International trade statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (g) Statistics of international trade in services;

Documentation

Report of the Task Force on Statistics of International Trade in Services

Report of the Secretary-General

- (h) Information and communications technology statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Partnership on Measuring Information and Communication Technology for Development

- (i) Tourism statistics;

Documentation

Report of the World Tourism Organization

- (j) International Comparison Programme;

Documentation

Report of the World Bank

- (k) Ottawa Group on Price Indices;

Documentation

Report of the Ottawa Group on Price Indices

- (l) Short-term economic indicators.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- 6. Natural resources and environment statistics:

- (a) Environmental-economic accounting.

Documentation

Report of the Committee of Experts on Environmental-Economic Accounting

- 7. Activities not classified by field:

- (a) Coordination and integration of statistical programmes;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities

- (b) Implementation of the Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics;

Documentation

Report of the Friends of the Chair

- (c) Development indicators;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (d) Follow-up to Economic and Social Council policy decisions;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (e) Working methods of the Statistical Commission;

Documentation

Report of the Bureau

- (f) Principles governing international statistical activities;

Documentation

Report of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities

- (g) Regional statistical development;

Documentation

Report of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific

- (h) National quality assurance frameworks;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (i) Statistical-spatial framework in national statistical systems;

Documentation

Report of the Expert Group on Developing a Statistical-Spatial Framework in National Statistical Systems

- (j) Efforts in developing a plan of action on statistical development;

Documentation

Report of the World Bank

- (k) World Statistics Day;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (l) Big data and modernization of statistical systems;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General

- (m) Broader measures of progress.

Documentation**Report of the Friends of the Chair**

8. Programme questions (Statistics Division).
9. Provisional agenda and dates for the forty-sixth session of the Commission.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat containing the draft provisional agenda for the forty-sixth session of the Commission

Note by the Secretariat on the draft multi-year programme of work of the Commission

10. Report of the Commission on its forty-fifth session.

2013/236

Report of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum of the United Nations Environment Programme on its first universal session

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum of the United Nations Environment Programme on its first universal session (A/68/25).

2013/237

Report of the Commission on Population and Development on its forty-sixth session and provisional agenda for its forty-seventh session

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Population and Development on its forty-sixth session,¹² and decided to transmit it to the second high-level dialogue of the General Assembly on international migration and development;

(b) Approved the provisional agenda for the forty-seventh session of the Commission as set out below:

¹² *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 5 (E/2013/25).*

Provisional agenda

1. Election of officers.¹³
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Provisional agenda for the forty-seventh session of the Commission

Note by the Secretariat on the organization of the work of the session

Report of the Bureau of the Commission on Population and Development on its intersessional meetings

3. Assessment of the status of implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on world demographic trends

Report of the Secretary-General on the operational review of the status of implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development

4. General debate on national experience in population matters: assessment of the status of implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development.
5. General debate on the contribution of population and development issues to the theme of the annual ministerial review in 2014.
6. Programme implementation and future programme of work of the Secretariat in the field of population.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on programme implementation and progress of work in the field of population in 2013

Note by the Secretary-General on the proposed strategic framework for the period 2016-2017: subprogramme 5, Population, of programme 7, Economic and social affairs

7. Provisional agenda for the forty-eighth session of the Commission.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat containing the provisional agenda for the forty-eighth session of the Commission

8. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its forty-seventh session.

¹³ In accordance with its decision 2004/2, the Commission, immediately following the close of its forty-sixth session, held the first meeting of its forty-seventh session for the sole purpose of electing the new Chair and other officers of the Commission, in accordance with rule 15 of the rules of procedure of the functional commissions of the Council.

2013/238**Venue, dates and provisional agenda for the thirteenth session of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration**

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Decided that the thirteenth session of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration would be held at United Nations Headquarters from 7 to 11 April 2014;

(b) Approved the provisional agenda for the thirteenth session of the Committee as set out below:

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Transforming public administration for sustainable development:
 - (a) Strengthening national and local capacities for sustainable development management;
 - (b) Promoting leadership, innovation and risk management for sustainable development;
 - (c) Invigorating the professionalism and morale of the public service.
4. Review of the United Nations Programme in Public Administration and Finance.
5. Agenda for the fourteenth session of the Committee of Experts.

2013/239**Dates and provisional agenda for the ninth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters**

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Decided that the ninth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters would be held in Geneva from 21 to 25 October 2013;

(b) Approved the following draft agenda for the ninth session of the Committee:

1. Opening of the session by the representative of the Secretary-General.
2. Election of the Chair and other officers (closed meeting).
3. Consideration of rules of procedure and other organizational issues (closed meeting).
4. Introductory remarks by the Chair of the Committee.
5. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work.

6. Discussion of substantive issues related to international cooperation in tax matters:
 - (a) Issues related to updating of the United Nations Model Tax Convention:
 - (i) Article 4 (Resident): application of treaty rules to hybrid entities;
 - (ii) Article 5 (Permanent establishment):
 - a. The meaning of "connected projects";
 - b. Whether a satellite in geostationary orbit could constitute a permanent establishment;
 - c. Permanent establishment issues in international value-added tax cases;
 - (iii) Article 7 (Business profits): "force of attraction" — consideration and explanation of its operation;
 - (iv) Article 8 (Shipping, inland waterways transport and air transport): the meaning and coverage of the term "auxiliary activities";
 - (v) Article 9 (Associated enterprises): update of its Commentary;
 - (vi) Article 12 (Royalties): general consideration, including of equipment-related issues;
 - (vii) Article 13 (Capital gains): the practical implications of paragraph 4;
 - (viii) Article 23 (Methods for the elimination of double taxation): conflicts of qualification and conflicts of interpretation in 2012 in the context of the discussion on climate change;
 - (ix) Article 26 (Exchange of information);
 - (x) Various articles: taxation of services — provision on taxation of fees for technical services;
 - (xi) Various articles: United Nations Model Convention and climate change mechanisms;
 - (b) Other issues:
 - (i) Issues for the next update of the Practical Transfer Pricing Manual for Developing Countries;
 - (ii) Manual for the Negotiation of Bilateral Tax Treaties between Developed and Developing Countries;
 - (iii) Foreign direct investment issues and corporate taxation, including resource taxation issues for developing countries;
 - (iv) Taxation of development projects;
 - (v) Capacity-building.
7. Dates and provisional agenda for the tenth session of the Committee.
8. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its ninth session.

2013/240

Report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on its tenth session and provisional agenda for its eleventh session

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on its tenth session;¹⁴

(b) Approved the provisional agenda for the eleventh session of the Forum as set out below:

Provisional agenda for the eleventh session of the United Nations Forum on Forests

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Forests: progress, challenges and the way forward for the international arrangement on forests:
 - (a) Reviewing the effectiveness of the international arrangement on forests and consideration of all future options;
 - (b) Reviewing the progress towards the achievement of the global objectives on forests and the implementation of the non-legally binding instrument on all types of forests;
 - (c) Reviewing the contribution of forests and the international arrangement on forests, including the non-legally binding instrument on all types of forests, to the internationally agreed development goals.
4. Means of implementation for sustainable forest management and forest law enforcement and governance at all levels.
5. Enhanced cooperation and policy and programme coordination, including the provision of further guidance to the Collaborative Partnership on Forests.
6. Regional and subregional inputs.
7. Multi-stakeholder dialogue.
8. High-level segment.
9. Forum Trust Fund.
10. Other matters.
11. Adoption of the report of the Forum on its eleventh session.

¹⁴ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 22 (E/2013/42).*

2013/241

Dates and venue for the eleventh session of the United Nations Forum on Forests

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided that the eleventh session of the United Nations Forum on Forests would be held from 4 to 15 May 2015 in New York.

2013/242

Report of the Nineteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Nineteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific (E/CONF.102/8).

2013/243

Report of the Commission for Social Development on its fifty-first session and provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-second session

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Commission for Social Development on its fifty-first session;¹⁵

(b) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-second session of the Commission as set out below:

Provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-second session of the Commission for Social Development

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the review of methods of work of the Commission for Social Development (E/CN.5/2013/12)

3. Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the social dimensions of the New Partnership for Africa's Development

¹⁵ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 6 (E/2013/26).*

- (a) Priority theme: promoting empowerment of people in achieving poverty eradication, social integration and full employment and decent work for all;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on promoting empowerment of people in achieving poverty eradication, social integration and full employment and decent work for all

- (b) Review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups:
 - (i) World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons;
 - (ii) Standard Rules on Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities;
 - (iii) World Programme of Action for Youth;
 - (iv) Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002;
 - (v) Family issues, policies and programmes;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the preparations for the observance of the twentieth anniversary of the International Year of the Family at all levels

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the World Programme of Action for Youth

Report of the Secretary-General on mainstreaming disability in the development agenda

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Special Rapporteur on Disability of the Commission for Social Development

- (c) Emerging issues (to be determined).

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat on the emerging issues

- 4. Programme questions and other matters.

Documentation

Note by the Secretary-General on the proposed strategic framework for the period 2016-2017, subprogramme 3, Social policy and development

- 5. Provisional agenda for the fifty-third session of the Commission.
- 6. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-second session.

2013/244**Nomination of members of the Board of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council confirmed the nomination of the following eight candidates for membership in the Board of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development:

(a) Jimí O. Adésinà (Nigeria), Asef Bayat (United States of America), David Hulme (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland), Joakim Palme (Sweden) and Onalenna Doo Selolwane (Botswana), for a four-year term beginning on the date of confirmation by the Council and expiring on 30 June 2017;

(b) Bina Agarwal (India), Evelina Dagnino (Brazil) and Julia Szalai (Hungary), for an additional two-year term beginning on the date of confirmation by the Council and expiring on 30 June 2015.

2013/245**Report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its reconvened twenty-first session**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its reconvened twenty-first session.

2013/246**Improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime: extension of the mandate of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its decision 2011/258 of 28 July 2011, entitled "Improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime: extension of the mandate of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime", in which it, inter alia, reaffirmed Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 52/13 of 20 March 2009 and Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice resolution 18/3 of 24 April 2009 and decided to renew the mandate of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime until the part of the session of the Commissions to be held in the first half of 2013, at which time the Commissions would carry out a thorough review of the functioning of the working group and consider the extension of its mandate:

(a) Reiterated its awareness of the importance of the role of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and

financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime in assisting the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice in effectively addressing financial and governance issues relevant to the work of the Office;

(b) Reaffirmed the role of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as the principal policymaking organ of the United Nations on matters of international drug control and as the governing body of the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and the role of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice as the principal policymaking organ of the United Nations on matters of crime prevention and criminal justice and as the governing body of the crime programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime;

(c) Reiterated its concern about the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, and expressed its awareness of the urgent need to continue addressing those issues in a pragmatic, results-oriented, efficient and cooperative manner;

(d) Reaffirmed Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 52/13 of 20 March 2009 and Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice resolution 18/3 of 24 April 2009, and decided to renew the mandate of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime until the part of the session of the Commission to be held in the first half of 2015, at which time the Commissions should carry out a thorough review of the functioning of the working group and consider the extension of its mandate;

(e) Decided that the working group should hold formal and informal meetings in line with current practice;

(f) Requested that the relevant documentation be provided to the working group not later than 10 working days before a meeting;

(g) Reiterated the importance of the development of an indicative annual workplan by Member States, taking into account input from the Secretariat and providing, as appropriate, for review of the format and organization of work of the working group with a view to improving its effectiveness, and approved the provisional agenda of the working group as set out below:

1. Consolidated budget for the biennium 2014-2015 for the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.
2. Governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.
3. Evaluation and oversight.
4. Other matters.

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Report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its twenty-second session and provisional agenda for its twenty-third session

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its twenty-second session;

(b) Recalling its decision 2010/243 of 22 July 2010, decided that the prominent theme for the twenty-third session of the Commission would be "International cooperation in criminal matters";

(c) Recalling its decision 2012/238 of 26 July 2012, took note of Commission decision 22/2,

(d) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the twenty-third session of the Commission set out below:

Provisional agenda and documentation for the twenty-third session of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Provisional agenda and annotations

3. Strategic management, budgetary and administrative questions:
 - (a) Work of the working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime;
 - (b) Directives on policy and budgetary issues for the United Nations crime prevention and criminal justice programme;
 - (c) Working methods of the Commission.

Documentation

Report of the Executive Director on the activities of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

Other notes by the Secretariat and reports of the Secretary-General or Executive Director in accordance with mandates

4. Thematic discussion on international cooperation in criminal matters.

Documentation

Discussion guide

5. Integration and coordination of efforts by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and by Member States in the field of crime prevention and criminal justice:
 - (a) Ratification and implementation of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto;
 - (b) Ratification and implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption;
 - (c) Ratification and implementation of the international instruments to prevent and combat terrorism;
 - (d) Other crime prevention and criminal justice matters;
 - (e) Other activities in support of the work of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, in particular activities of the United Nations crime prevention and criminal justice programme network, non-governmental organizations and other bodies.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on international cooperation in combating transnational organized crime and corruption

Report of the Secretary-General on assistance in implementing the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the institutes of the United Nations crime prevention and criminal justice programme network

Other notes by the Secretariat and reports of the Secretary-General or Executive Director in accordance with mandates

6. Use and application of United Nations standards and norms in crime prevention and criminal justice.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on United Nations standards and norms in crime prevention and criminal justice

Other notes by the Secretariat and reports of the Secretary-General or Executive Director in accordance with mandates

7. World crime trends and emerging issues and responses in the field of crime prevention and criminal justice.

Documentation

Report of the Executive Director on the activities of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

Other notes by the Secretariat and reports of the Secretary-General or Executive Director in accordance with mandates

8. Follow-up to the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and preparations for the Thirteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the follow-up to the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and preparations for the Thirteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

9. Provisional agenda for the twenty-fourth session of the Commission.
10. Other business.
11. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its twenty-third session.

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Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its reconvened fifty-fifth session

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its reconvened fifty-fifth session.

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Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its fifty-sixth session and provisional agenda for its fifty-seventh session

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its fifty-sixth session;
- (b) Also took note of Commission decision 55/1 of 7 December 2012;
- (c) Approved the provisional agenda for the fifty-seventh session set out below:

Provisional agenda for the fifty-seventh session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

High-level segment

3. Opening of the high-level segment.
4. General debate of the high-level segment.
5. Round-table discussions of the high-level segment.

6. Outcome of the high-level segment.
7. Closure of the high-level segment.

Normative segment

8. Thematic debate/round-table discussions.
9. Implementation of the Political Declaration and Plan of Action on International Cooperation towards an Integrated and Balanced Strategy to Counter the World Drug Problem:
 - (a) Demand reduction and related measures;
 - (b) Supply reduction and related measures;
 - (c) Countering money-laundering and promoting judicial cooperation to enhance international cooperation.
10. Implementation of the international drug control treaties:
 - (a) Challenges and future work of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the World Health Organization in the review of substances for possible scheduling recommendations;
 - (b) Changes in the scope of control of substances;
 - (c) International Narcotics Control Board;
 - (d) International cooperation to ensure the availability of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances for medical and scientific purposes while preventing their diversion;
 - (e) Other matters arising from the international drug control treaties.
11. World situation with regard to drug trafficking and recommendations of the subsidiary bodies of the Commission.

Operational segment

12. Policy directives to the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and strengthening the drug programme and the role of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as its governing body, including administrative, budgetary and strategic management questions:
 - (a) Work of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and policy directives;
 - (b) Role of the Commission as the governing body of the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime:
 - (i) Strengthening the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime;
 - (ii) Administrative, budgetary and strategic management questions.
13. Provisional agenda for the fifty-eighth session of the Commission.
14. Other business.
15. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-seventh session.

2013/250**Report of the International Narcotics Control Board**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2012.¹⁶

2013/251**Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council, recalling General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII) of 26 November 1957, in which the Assembly requested the Council to establish the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, as well as subsequent Assembly resolutions by which the membership of the Executive Committee was increased:

(a) Took note of the requests to enlarge the membership of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees contained in the note verbale dated 12 February 2013 from the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General,¹⁷ the letter dated 2 April 2013 from the Permanent Representative of Belarus to the United Nations to the President of the Economic and Social Council,¹⁸ the note verbale dated 16 May 2013 from the Permanent Mission of the Czech Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General,¹⁹ the note verbale dated 28 May 2013 from the Permanent Mission of Peru to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General,²⁰ the note verbale dated 5 June 2013 from the Permanent Mission of Slovakia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General,²¹ the note verbale dated 21 June 2013 from the Permanent Mission of Senegal to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General²² and the note verbale dated 2 July 2013 from the Permanent Mission of Latvia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General;²³

(b) Recommended that the General Assembly, at its sixty-eighth session, decide on the question of enlarging the membership of the Executive Committee from eighty-seven to ninety-four States.

¹⁶ *Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2012* (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.13.XI.1).

¹⁷ E/2013/10.

¹⁸ E/2013/49.

¹⁹ E/2013/76.

²⁰ E/2013/85.

²¹ E/2013/83.

²² E/2013/86.

²³ E/2013/89.

2013/252**Report of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues on its twelfth session**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided to defer its consideration of the report of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues on its twelfth session to the resumed 2013 substantive session of the Council.

2013/253**Documentation considered by the Council in connection with the advancement of women, crime prevention and criminal justice, and human rights**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the following documents:

- (a) Note by the Secretariat on the results of the fifty-first, fifty-second and fifty-third sessions of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (E/2013/75);
- (b) Note by the Secretariat on the report of the Board of Trustees on major activities of the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (E/2013/80);
- (c) Report of the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities on its fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth sessions (A/68/55);
- (d) Report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its forty-eighth and forty-ninth sessions (E/2013/22);
- (e) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (E/2013/82).

2013/254**Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the Palestinian people**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 25 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the Palestinian people (A/68/76-E/2013/65).

2013/255**Report of the Council of the United Nations University**

At its 48th plenary meeting, on 26 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Council of the United Nations University on the work of the University (E/2013/88).

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**Temporary adjournment of the substantive session of 2013 of the
Economic and Social Council**

At its 48th plenary meeting, on 26 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council decided to temporarily adjourn the substantive session of 2013 of the Council and to reconvene the session at a later date.
